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Serial No. 09/297,486

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Art Unit : 3738  
Applicant(s) : John Francis Martin, Seppo Yla-Herttuala, Stephen George Edward Barker  
Serial No. : 09/297,486  
Filed : April 30, 1999  
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Sir:

A refund is respectfully requested in the above-referenced patent application for the following reason:

Applicants filed the subject application on April 30, 1999 and submitted therewith an unsigned Declaration Claiming Small Entity Status. On May 6, 1999, Applicants' deposit account no. 19-0065 was charged the correct small entity fees of \$420 (fee code 971, control no. 108); \$162 (fee code 967, control no. 109); and \$78 (fee code 965, control no. 110). On June 9, 1999 Applicants submitted an executed verified Declaration Claiming Small Entity Status in response to a Notice to File Missing Parts (see attached). On June 7, 1999, Applicants' deposit account was credited \$420 (fee code 971, control no. 309); \$162 (fee code 967, control no. 310) and then charged \$840 (fee code 970, control no. 312);

and \$324 (fee code 966, control no. 313). Therefore, Applicants were charged an extra \$582.00 for filing the subject application.

Because the application was filed as a small entity and an executed Declaration Claiming Small Entity Status was filed within two months of the filing date of the application as required by 37 CFR §1.28, Applicants respectfully request that a refund for the overcharge of \$582.00 be credited to deposit account no. 19-0065.

Respectfully submitted,



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Attachments: 1. copy of deposit account statement dated May 28, 1999;  
2. copy of deposit account statement dated June 30, 1999;  
3. copy of Transmittal Letter in response to Notice to File Missing Parts; and  
3. copy of executed verified Declaration Claiming Small Entity Status.



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